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**Paul Brown**

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1926  
 Education: Texas 1950 JD  
 Began Service: 1985  
 Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Government:** Assistant United States Attorney, Eastern District of Texas, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1953-1959); United States Attorney, Eastern District of Texas, Department of Justice (1959-1961)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Keith & Brown (1951-1953); Brown, Hill & Ellis (and predecessor firms) (1961-1985)

**Military Service:** United States Navy (1944-1946); United States Navy (1950-1951)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; Grayson County Bar Association; State Bar of Texas; Texas Bar Foundation

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**William Wayne Justice**

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1920  
 Education: Texas 1942 LLB  
 Began Service: 1968  
 Appointed By: President Lyndon B. Johnson  
 Political Affiliation: Democrat

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Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1943  
 Education: Texas 1965 BA, 1967 JD  
 Began Service: March 7, 1984  
 Term Expires: March 6, 2009

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**Judith K. Guthrie**

Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1948  
 Education: St Mary's Col (MD) 1971 BA;  
 Houston 1980 JD  
 Began Service: May 17, 1986  
 Term Expires: May 16, 2010

**Academic:** Instructor (part-time), Tyler Junior College (1985-1987); American Council on Education

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable J. W. Summers, Texas Court of Appeals, 12th District (1981-1982)

**Government:** Staff, Texas House of Representatives (1973-1975)

**Legal Practice:** Legal Assistant/Lobbyist, Bracewell & Patterson (1975-1980); Associate, Bracewell & Patterson (1980-1981); Partner, Hannah & Guthrie (1982-1986)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; American Judges' Association; Fifth Circuit Bar Association; Magistrate Judges Association; Smith County Bar Association; State Bar of Texas; Texas Women Lawyers

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**Caroline M. Craven**

Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1964  
 Education: Arkansas BA, 1990 JD  
 Began Service: May 26, 1998  
 Term Expires: May 25, 2006

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk David Folsom, United States District Court for the Eastern District of Texas (1995-1998)

**Legal Practice:** Patton, Haltom, Roberts, McWilliams & Greer, LLP (1990-1995)

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**Don D. Bush**

Magistrate Judge

Education: Indiana 1968 BA; Southern Methodist 1976 JD, 1986 LL.M.  
 Began Service: February 24, 2003

**Staff**

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**Keith Giblin**

Magistrate Judge

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**John Love**

Magistrate Judge

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**Bill Parker**

Chief Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1955  
 Education: Stephen F Austin State 1977 BA; Texas (Permian Basin) 1980 MA; Arkansas 1984 JD  
 Began Service: October 30, 1998  
 Term Expires: October 30, 2012

**Government:** Assistant United States Trustee, Eastern District of Texas, United States Department of Justice, Ronald Reagan Administration (1987-1991)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Smead Anderson Wilcox & Dunn (1985-1987); Shareholder, Ireland Carroll & Kelley (1991-1998)

**Current Memberships:** Texas Board of Legal Specialization - Board Certified, Business Bankruptcy Law

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**Brenda T. Rhoades**

Bankruptcy Judge

Began Service: September 1, 2003  
 Term Expires: August 2017

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